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Mr. Ekren,

EPA is preparing a second group of documents to send in response to your FOIA request, but first we have a question. Your first request asks for EPA comments on any proposed design for River Mile 10.9 Removal Action by CH2M Hill, and any responses by the CPG and/or CH2M Hill. We have read this to refer to exchanges of communications and comments between EPA and the CPG and/or CH2M Hill, and not purely internal EPA communications. If this is the correct reading, then we will be able to close out the FOIA and issue a bill.

If we have interpreted your request incorrectly, then it will be necessary for EPA to prepare a partial denial as we would likely withhold most if not all of our internal communications. If that were the case, we would likely exceed the \$750 fee limit that you have provided in your FOIA request. Please let us know if we have correctly understood your request.

I look forward to hearing from you and completing the FOIA response.

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